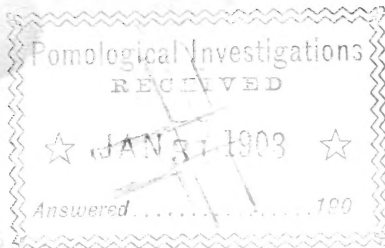


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H. W. Jenkins

Boonville, Mo.

# Dewey Gling Peach.

WHITE	{	Skin.
		Flesh.
		On the Tree.
		In the Can.
		Medal at Omaha in '98.
		Men's Testimonials Inside.

Introduced in 1898 by H. W. Jenkins, Boonville, Mo., sole owner and proprietor, and sold under seal. Read its history, description and testimonials from prominent fruit men and competent judges. Be wise in placing your orders early for a few trees of this grand peach. Supply for 1902 is limited and there will probably be none for sale in 1903, on account our budding the past season failing.

Prices greatly reduced.

50c each for No. 1, 5 to 6 foot trees, or 6 trees for \$2.50.

40c each for No. 2, 4 to 5 foot trees, or 6 trees for \$2 00.

50 or more 25c each.

*June Buds*  
20c each  
6 for 1.00

## HISTORY.

The original tree was purchased in the spring of 1893 from a St. Louis nursery firm, for an "Alexander," but when it came into bearing in '96, it proved to be a White Cling of such an attractive character that we began to wonder what it was—thought perhaps from some local condition that it was only an extra specimen of Heath. The fall of '97 brought another crop of extra fine peaches, both in size and color and quality. We concluded to find out what it was, and send samples to some of our friends, all of whom replied it was a stranger to them—but all praised it. Again, in '98, the old saying, "The third time's the charm," came true, for the third crop in succession came, and, while it was slightly inferior in size, it still showed such superiority over the Heath, that we hesitated no longer to give it a name, and the

## ....DEWEY CLING....

makes its bow and debut into the critical society of the horticultural world, willing to stand or fall upon the crucial test of merit.

The test came the past season, 1901, when fruit from young trees proved good all the claims made for this peach in '98.

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## DESCRIPTION.

In shape, nearly round, no swollen point. Color, nearly pure white, occasionally one with a slight coloring of small dots of red. Skin thin and very smooth—never saw a specimen with any black or shriveled sides. Flesh clear white through to the seed, very juicy and sweet; seed very small. A peach that will meet the wants of the most exacting fancier of White Cling peaches who wants a beautiful peach, either in the basket or in the can. The tree is hardy, productive, and vigorous—a fine grower in the nursery row; ripens about September 15th. The crop of 1901 did not ripen till October 1st.

CAUTION.—Do not confound the Dewey Cling with a peach named Admiral Dewey, which is a yellow free stone, originating in Georgia and named after we had named this peach.

## TESTIMONIALS.

"The two baskets of peaches arrived in excellent condition; not decayed in the least. I placed them on exhibition in one of our best show cases and will give them special attention

H. W. BUTLER, Clerk for Mo. Hort. Ex., Buffalo."

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"The Dewey Cling is fine. I want some of the trees, so does every one I showed them to.

HENRY SCHNELL, Gardener and Fruit Grower,  
Glasgow, Mo "

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"Yes, I ate a Dewey Cling from the ones sent Z. T. Russel. It was immense. I hope you have lots of the Dewey trees and will succeed in selling them.

C A. EMERY, Fruit and Poultry Judge, Carthage, Mo."

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"The specimens of Dewey Cling received from you were very fine, rich and sweet, and to my mind a decided improvement on Heath Cling, of which I judge it to be a seedling.

Z. T. RUSSEL, Secretary Jasper County Hort. Society."

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"Your peaches forwarded here. They were over ripe. They seem much like Welkin's Cling and are fine peaches.

L. A. GOODMAN, Goodman, Mo., Sec'y Mo. S. H. S."

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"Father (the late Judge Samuel Miller) was much pleased with it.

JOHN MILLER, Bluffton, Mo."

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"Your baskets of peaches came while I was away from home. My family sampled them and pronounced them No. 1, best quality. Regret I did not get to see them.

M. BUTTERFIELD, Nurseryman, Farmington, Mo."

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"Peaches came to hand all O. K. and are fine. The Dewey Cling is the best late cling stone in quality that has ever come under our notice. We think you have a good thing in this variety.

Dic. R. J. B.

NEW HAVEN NURSERIES, New Haven, Mo."

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"My Dewey Cling peaches had a fair crop for the season. Size was good and the peaches were of fine flavor. I am sure the peach will prove valuable.

D. A. ROBBETT, Fruit Grower and Pres.-Elect M. S. H. S.,  
Columbia, Mo."

"Your peaches have just come to hand and in good condition. The Deweys are just right for sampling and I must say that the one I tried was just the best peach I ever indulged in, extra splendid. Am very glad to find the Dewey so worthy; it comes up to your indorsements.

G. A. ATWOOD, Ed. *Practical Fruit Grower*, Springfield, Mo."

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"Samples of Dewey Cling Peach were received in good condition. The peach is certainly a fine one. Mr. J. H. Karnes, one of our best growers, was in our office when they were received and he agreed with us in pronouncing the quality A 1. Good size, splendid appearance and other points in its favor.

J. M. IRWIN, Ed. *Western Fruit Grower*, St. Joe, Mo."

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"H. W. Jenkins last week attended the meeting of the State Horticultural Society at St. Joseph. Dewey Cling Peaches were served to the members at the St. Charles Hotel for supper. They won the commendations of all and Mr. Jenkins, who is the originator of this variety, was the recipient of many congratulations.

*Boonville Advertiser*, December 13, 1901."

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BOONVILLE, MO., January 1, 1902.

We, the undersigned, citizens of Boonville, Mo., hereby certify that we have sampled the new peach called Dewey Cling by the owner and introducer, H. W. Jenkins, and we consider it a peach of superb quality and worthy of the high claims and honors bestowed upon it and recommend it to the public as a new peach with a promising future.

W. MORRIS JOHNSON, Shoe Merchant.  
GEO. J. HAIN, Dry Goods and Groceries.  
R. L. MOORE, Agent Mo. Pac. Railway.  
E. H. ROBERTS, JR., Carpenter.  
C. H. HOLTMAN, Book-keeper.  
W. A. SMILEY, Treasurer Cent. Mo. Hort. Association.  
CHAS. G. MILLER & SON, Fancy Poultry.  
A. H. SAUTER, Music Dealer.  
J. L. KREEGER, Grain Dealer.  
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J. F. RUTHERFORD, Attorney.